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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: STATUS OF CAPACITY CONSULTATIONS

1. US-SWITZERLAND CONSULTATIONS (STATE 271024 AND PREVIOUS)  
TWA-SWISSAIR CAPACITY TALKS IN WASHINGTON ON DECEMBER 13  
RESULTED IN NEAR AGREEMENT ON LEVEL OF SWISSAIR SERVICE  
BETWEEN US AND SWITZERLAND.CARRIERS HAVE AGREED TO CAPACITY  
AT NEW YORK AND ARE CLOSE TO AGREEMENT ON LEVELS AT CHICAGO  
AND BOSTON. WHEN AND IF AGREEMENT FINALIZED, WE ARE  
WILLING TO ACCEPT INDEFINITE POSTPONEMENT GOVERNMENT CAPA-  
CITY CONSULTATIONS. AT MOMENT, HOWEVER, GOVERNMENT TALKS  
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ARE SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 22.

2. US-SCANDINAVIA CONSULTATIONS - ON BASIS SCANDINAVIAN ASSURANCES THAT THREE GOVERNMENTS AND SAS NOW PREPARED TO DISCUSS "ALL ASPECTS OF US-SCANDINAVIA CAPACITY," WE HAVE AGREED TO SCAN REQUEST TO POSTPONE RESUMED GOVERNMENT CONSULTATIONS UNTIL JANUARY 22. IN MEANTIME, PAN AM AND SAS BEGIN SECOND ROUND OF INTER-CARRIER CAPACITY TALKS ON DECEMBER 18 IN WASHINGTON. FIRST ROUND OF CARRIER TALKS ENDED INCONCLUSIVELY, BUT THERE IS SOME POSSIBILITY THAT SAS (WHICH HAS APPARENTLY BEEN WELL BRIEFED ON STATE OF PLAY WITH SWISS) MAY BE MORE FORTHCOMING IN NEXT ROUND THAN IT WAS THROUGH MOST OF FIRST SESSION. WE HAVE NOT SUGGESTED POSSIBILITY TO SCAN EMBASSIES, BUT IF CARRIER TALKS RESULT IN ACCEPTABLE CAPACITY AGREEMENT, WE WOULD PROBABLY

BE WILLING TO DEFER INDEFINITELY GOVERNMENT CONSULTATIONS INsofar AS THEY RELATE TO CAPACITY.

3. US-NETHERLANDS CONSULTATIONS (STATE 265104 AND PREVIOUS) - US COURT OF APPEALS ON DECEMBER 16 DENIED KLM MOTION TO STAY CAB ORDER REQUIRING IT TO FILE ITS SCHEDULES WITH CAB. ACCORDINGLY, UNLESS KLM APPEALS DECISION TO SUPREME COURT OR REQUESTS FURTHER TEMPORARY EXTENSION OF STAY FROM COURT OF APPEALS, IT IS OBLIGATED TO FILE SCHEDULES. SECOND KLM PETITION REQUESTING COURT REVIEW OF CAB ORDER IS STILL BEFORE COURT. KISSINGER

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